

Remember - Saturday,  
December 21, 10:00 a.m.

The

Foggy Bottom Association  
Christmas Party

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A proposed "air rights" building at 25th St. and Virginia Ave. over the Expressway and the PMI parking lot would completely block the view of Georgetown—a grand sight when walking or driving down Virginia Ave. The "air rights" building is shown on the National Geographic bird's-eye view of what's planned for Washington.

Better than the "air rights" would be a slender Foggy Bottom Town Hall on the PMI property, with underground swimming pool, meeting room, and an auditorium-dance hall for the hundreds (thousands?) of Foggy Bottom "singletons". The slender town hall (Remember Stockholm?) would keep the "sweep of sky" and Georgetown's heights in the Virginia Ave. panorama.

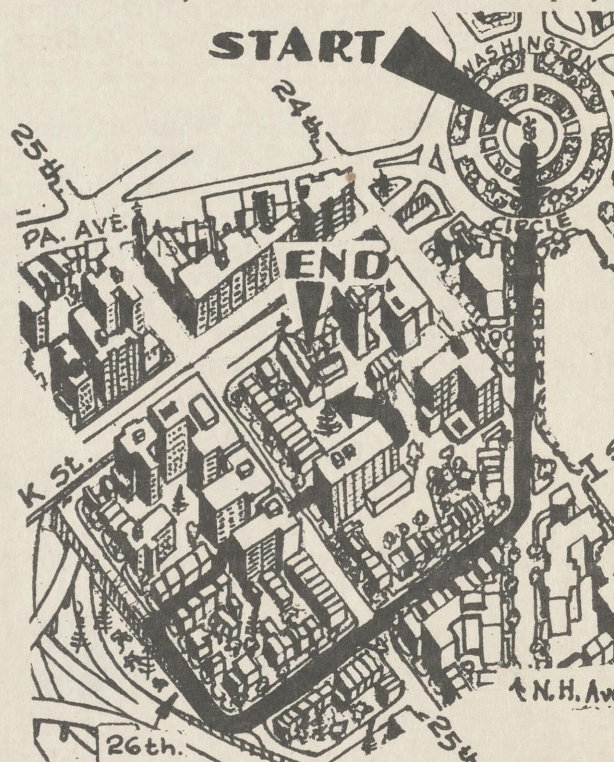
City communities (Foggy Bottom) will not survive the erosion from outside their neighborhoods until such protective steps are taken. You can help by joining The Foggy Bottom Association.



## MARCHING SYMPHONY WILL LEAD CAROLERS

The second annual Foggy Bottom Association Christmas party for neighborhood children will feature a parade starting at Washington Square Park (Washington Circle) at 10:00 a.m.

The band, carolers and marchers playing

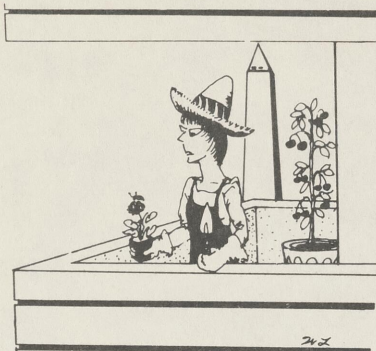


and singing Christmas music will parade through Foggy Bottom to St. Paul's Church Hall for refreshments at about 11:30.

The Association invites all who read this to join in the fun and urge them to dress in red and green Christmas colors for the parade. Parade marshals and helpers with the refreshments are needed—but most of all the Parade Chairman invites all of Foggy Bottom to join with their neighbors and friends in marching with the children. Remember—Saturday, December 21, 10:00 a.m., Washington Circle for Christmas giving of a little time to children. Contributions for refreshments are needed too. Call Dorothy Schoeneman at 965-5499 for details.



THE  
FOGGY  
BOTTOM  
FARMERETTE



Paper white narcissus can wipe out the winter-time gloom of your apartment and fill it with fragrance.

The narcissus bulbs surrounded by pebbles (I used crumpled foil paper), in a water filled dish, in a dark closet will be ready for your window in two weeks. Another two weeks will bring tall shoots and open the blossoms. Bulbs started every two weeks will keep the pretty sight and fragrance all winter.

At press time the paper white narcissus bulbs could be obtained at Bolgiano's (411 N.Y. Ave., N.E.), Hecht's Parkington garden store (Wilson Blvd., Arlington) and A. Gude & Sons Nursery (Rt. 355 between Rockville and Gaithersburg). Also hardware stores often have bulbs. Phone to have them saved for you. They are fast going. SEASONAL NOTE: Water all of your outdoor plants before freeze-up (especially those in tubs or pots). Repeat during thaws.

Mary Lande

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No FBA Meeting  
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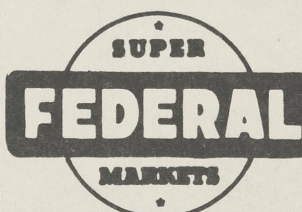
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## FOGGY DOINGS

It's not surprising to hear that FB's busy retiree, HARRIET GRUGER, is back at work. Harriet retired from HEW this summer, but is now doing a special project. "They made me feel so needed," she says. ... STELLA ROSENBLATT sends big thank you's to an anonymous friend who reported an open door at Rosenblatt's Market to the Third Precinct - and to the policemen who responded so promptly. Nothing missing - thanks to their action. ... It's really incredible department: new chairs replacing those "borrowed" from the lobby of 940 - 25th were fastened down - and now one of the cushions is missing! ... Also missing from that building are MR. and MRS. RALPH CASPERINO, whom AID has sent to Saigon and Bangkok, respectively ... There's a new arrival at 817 - 25th; TRACY is the new lady at the CHARLES LANGSTON'S....

During a short stay in Columbia Hospital, ANN DOBBS of Federal Market had no trouble "keeping an eye" on the store; a helpful friend brought her some binoculars! ... A greater distance is being traveled by Eye Street's MORELLA HANSEN, who is on a trip. Her itinerary includes Nairobi, Cairo, Addis Ababa and Beirut. ... Something new has been added to 25th Street - five new trees, courtesy of the D.C. Division of Trees & Landscaping. ... A recent search for Whiskey, the poodle belonging to RUTH GAFFNEY, uncovered not only the lost dog but many generous people who aided in the search, in FB and in Georgetown. Whiskey is now back home with his new sister, Toddy. ... Another returnee to the area is FATHER JOHN WINTERMYER, who left St. Stephen's for the University of Maryland, and is now Chaplain at GWU.

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| Dec. 29-30     | "What's New Pussy Cat" &<br>"After the Fox"             |
| Dec. 31-Jan. 2 | "Casino Royale" &<br>"The Wrong Box"                    |
| Jan. 3-4       | "I'm All Right, Jack" &<br>"The Big Time Operators"     |
| Jan. 5         | "World of Henry Orient" &<br>"The Wrong Arm of the Law" |
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## CHURCH SCHEDULES

**Church of the Pilgrims**

22nd and P Streets, N.W.

December 24, 7 pm, Christmas Eve ServiceDecember 31, 11:30 pm, Watchnight Communion Service**Concordia United Church of Christ**

20th and G Streets, N.W.

December 22, 11:00 am, Worship and Christmas Chancel Drama. 4:00 pm, Christmas Concert by Washington Sangerbund, Christmas party in Fellowship Hall.December 24, 5:00 pm, German Language Service, Dr. John A. Scherzer. 6:30 pm, Choir-Candlelight Service.**St. Mary's Episcopal**

728 23rd Street, N.W.

December 24, 5 pm, Candlelight service for young people. 11 pm, Holy Communion, Candlelight service and Carols.December 25, 8 am, Holy Communion; 11 am, Holy Communion.**St. Paul's Episcopal**

2430 K St., N.W.

December 24, 7 & 9:30 am, Christmas Eve Masses. 3:00 pm, church school service. Confessions from 2:00 to 7:00 pm. Evening prayer at 6:00 pm. Midnight Solemn Mass 11:30 pm.December 25, 7:45 am Morning prayer. 8:00 am, low mass. 10:00 am, Solemn Mass. 6:00 pm, Evening prayer.**St. Stephen Martyr**

25th St. and Pennsylvania Ave.

December 24, 4:00 to 6:00 & 7:30 to 9:00 pm, confessions. 11:30, Carols, 12:00 Mass.December 25, Masses at 6:30, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12:15, 1:15 and 5:00 pm.December 31, confessions 5:00 to 6:00 & 7:30 to 8:30 pm.January 1, masses at 8, 9, 11:15, 12:10, 1, 6:15, 7:45 pm.**Union Methodist**

814 20th St., N.W.

December 24, 11:00 pm, Carol and Candlelighting service, jointly with Western Presbyterian, at Western Presbyterian.December 25, Sanctuary open all day for meditation.**Western Presbyterian**

1906 H Street, N.W.

December 24, 11 pm, Carol Candlelighting service, jointly with Union Methodist at Western.

## CITY HALL COMPLAINT CENTER

If you have a complaint about your city, phone 393-3333 between 10 am and 2 pm. If you like your city, take care of it; if not, do something about it.

## THEATER

The subtleties of acoustical design give unusual style to the architectural interior of the new Inner Circle, Foggy Bottom's second cinema. The newly opened Inner Circle next to the Circle Theater, one block east of Washington Circle features the unusual in cinema art. This holiday it's a week of the best of Peter Sellers movies.

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